



HON BIRD S. MCGUIRE,  
Re-Elected as Delegate to Congress

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HAS DEFEATED MATHEWS BY  
NEARLY 1,500 VOTES

### PLURALITY AHEAD OF TWO YEARS AGO

The Delegate Ran Ahead of the Republican Ticket in Nearly Every County—Vote in Southern Counties Was Light

Hon. B. S. McGuire has been re-elected as Oklahoma's delegate to congress by a plurality of 1,502. Mathews did not run as well in the western part of the territory as was expected, and the increase of McGuire's majorities in Woods, Logan, and Lincoln counties and the reduced majorities of Mathews as compared with Cross in others would indicate that the republicans were nearly correct in their estimate of 1,700 majority for McGuire. The Oklahoman claims that the election is close, but figures Mathews in the lead by between 500 and 700.

GUTHRIE: According to the last figures received at territorial republican headquarters, and practically final, the following table shows the majorities by counties in 1904:

McGuire Mathews	
Beaver .....	125
Blaine .....	475
Caddo .....	256
Canadian .....	6
Cleveland .....	356
Comanche .....	748
Custer .....	105
Day .....	147
Dewey .....	76
Garfield .....	800
Grant .....	390
Greer .....	2,400
Kay .....	375
Kingfisher .....	249
Kiowa .....	650
Lincoln .....	951
Logan .....	1,555
Noble .....	52
Oklahoma .....	347
Pawnee .....	185

Payne .....	303
Pottawatomie .....	967
Roger Mills .....	525
Washita .....	487
Woods .....	1,600
Woodward .....	600
Totals .....	8,103

McGuire's plurality in 1904.....1,502

Guthrie—Both Chairman Filson and Governor Ferguson place Congressman McGuire's majority over Mathews, democrat, at 1,500 to 1,800, a strong gain over two years ago. They claim the school land lessees, labor unions, German and Bohemian vote almost solidly went for McGuire. This county (Logan) is the banner republican county with over 1,500 majority. Woods and Lincoln give 1,000 majority each. Chairman Filson claims the republicans have elected eight out of the thirteen senators, and eleven out of twenty-six representatives, with four districts still doubtful.

Edmond—Edmond city gives Mathews 153; McGuire, 132; Straughan 3; Loudermilk, 4. Two years ago it gave Cross 91, McGuire, 151.

### PREDICTION OF STATEHOOD

McGuire Believes It Will be Secured This Winter

GUTHRIE: Congressman McGuire, who was re-elected last Tuesday on a joint statehood platform, predicts early statehood. "I feel gratified," said he, "at the increased majority in the different counties of the territory where the majority two years ago was not very large. It shows those counties are gradually becoming more republican and that the increasing population of the territory the last two years has been republican people.

"This majority, and the assurance that Oklahoma is now a republican territory will aid in securing statehood this winter. I have no doubt at the next presidential election Oklahoma will be able to participate, and I only regret that the people of Oklahoma could not at this election aid in the sweeping victory of President Roosevelt.

"I believe in the election of President Roosevelt, Oklahoma is more than ever assured of statehood."

### HOW THE VOTES WENT

#### Returns from the Different Precincts So Far as Obtainable

We give herewith a statement of how the election went in the several precincts so far as we have been able to ascertain with any degree of accuracy:

Lawton—Ove Harris, chairman of the democratic county central committee, gives it as his opinion that Mathews' majority in the county is about 1,000. With the exception of one commissioner, the entire democratic ticket is elected by majorities ranging from 400 to 1,200. Menefee, for the council, gets 800 majority, and Ferris, for the legislature, about 1,000.

Perry—Complete unofficial returns give McGuire a plurality in Noble county of 47. Two years ago his plurality was 3.

El Reno—Mathews' majority in Canadian county will be about 50.

Guthrie—McGuire carries Guthrie by 763. Also Guthrie township by 38; Marshall township by 29. Two years ago McGuire received 726 majority in Guthrie.

Final returns from the fourth ward in fifth ti yesvgnfwy byBBS shrdlu in this city gives McGuire a majority in the whole city of 853, a gain of over 120. Precincts thus far in Logan county give McGuire 1,250, big gain. It is estimated that he will carry the county by 2,000.

Colony—This precinct gives McGuire a majority of 15.

Norman—Mathews' majority in Norman is 126. Gain of 9 for democrats.

Carmen—Ten precincts in this county give McGuire 1,036; Mathews, 569.

Chandler—Seventeen precincts out of 35, including Chandler and Prague, give McGuire a majority of 457. Heavy gain over two years ago for McGuire.

Earlboro—Earlboro gives Mathews 139, McGuire 112. Two years ago Cross received a majority of 38.

Pond Creek—The complete returns of this city gives Mathews 146; McGuire, 110; net democratic gains of 40.

Stroud—This town gives Mathews 139; McGuire 131. Two years ago Cross, 132; McGuire 96.

Luther—Luther complete gave McGuire 229; Mathews 56. Two years ago it gave McGuire 155; Cross, 84.

Enid—Five precincts in the city out of six gave McGuire 731, Mathews, 499. McGuire's gain in this city will be 40. Outside precincts coming in slowly. All show gains for McGuire.

Perry—Returns show that McGuire carried this city by a majority of 136. Gain of 38 for McGuire.

Shawnee—Unofficial returns from the county give Mathews a majority of 989. The majority two years ago for Cross was 1,365.

El Reno—The total vote gives McGuire a majority of 129, which is a loss of 31 votes for McGuire from two years ago.

Okarche—Okarche gives McGuire 48, Mathews 29, mutilated 5. Cross' majority two years ago was 16.

Weatherford—Ten precincts out of 29 in Custer county give Mathews 585 and McGuire 600. The democrats make slight gains. McGuire carried the county two years ago by 62.

Yukon—The vote at Yukon was: Mathews 22, McGuire 113. Two years ago Cross 230, McGuire 120.

Lawton—Lawton city gives Mathews 120 plurality. Twelve precincts outside of Lawton give Mathews plurality of 298. County will probably give 1,000 for Mathews.

Frisco—The vote here: Mathews 81, McGuire 98. Two years ago Cross 52, McGuire 87.

Weatherford—Cedar township precinct No. 3 gives Mathews 69, McGuire 93. Arapahoe o complete returns: Mathews, 132; McGuire, 174. Two years ago Arapahoe gave Cross 31, McGuire 95.

Sayre—Sayre gives Mathews 118, McGuire, 63. This city two years ago gave Cross 105, McGuire 51.

Shawnee—Shawnee city gives Mathews a plurality of 345. Two years ago

the majority for Cross in the city was 368.

Hobart—The indications, from estimates of townships not reported, are that Mathews' plurality in Kiowa county will not exceed 200. The figure may be slightly in excess of this. Two years ago Cross received a majority of 374.

Guthrie—The following Logan county townships give McGuire majorities: Mulhall 20, gain 30; Lawrie 27, gain 8; Spring Creep gives Mathews 22 majority, gain 6. Fourteen Logan county precincts give McGuire 1,036 majority, 13 townships to hear from. Present indications show Guthrie county ticket, except Feely, for council has repudiated negro politics by giving majorities that insure the election of a democratic legislative and ty treasurer.

Cross—This precinct gives Mathews a majority of 30.

Calumet—This precinct gives Mathews a majority of 12, same gave McGuire a majority of 11 two years ago.

Enid—McGuire for delegate to congress, gained in 40 precincts in the city of Enid and in 14 precincts of 42 gains 138. If this gain is kept up it will give him 1,124 majority over Mathews.

Guthrie—McGuire carries Mulhall by 29, a gain of 36; Crescent by 4, a gain of 35; South Cimarron by 152, a gain of 40; Guthrie township by 37, a gain of 14.

Cashion—Cashion gives Mathews a plurality of 12.

Hennessey—This city gives McGuire a majority of 77, a gain of 33 over two years ago.

McLoud—McLoud gives Mathews 94; McGuire, 59; same two years ago gave Cross 108; McGuire, 45.

Newkirk—McGuire carried the city by 76, a loss of 44. Mathews carries South Vernon, loss of thirty.

Choctaw City—The town gives Mathews 25; McGuire 31.

Weatherford—Mathews carries Weatherford by a majority of 43. Cross' majority two years ago was 38.

Pawnee—City gives McGuire 226; Mathews, 193. Two years ago, Cross 165, McGuire 263.

Pawnee—It was given out here that McGuire had carried Pawnee county by a majority of 50 votes.

Kingfisher—Pat Nagle issued a statement in which he declares that McGuire lost Kingfisher city by 70 votes.

Chandler—The republicans gained a complete victory in this county, carrying the county ticket along in the avalanche. The majority for McGuire over Mathews is 951.

Anadarko—Anadarko city gives Mathews 230, McGuire 300. Two years ago Cross received 231, McGuire 357. Out of forty-four precincts twelve heard from give McGuire a majority of about 200.

Kingfisher—Seventeen precincts give McGuire 127 plurality.

Norman—Cleveland county will give Mathews a majority of about 375. Two years ago the majority was 359. Entire democratic county ticket is elected.

Woodward—The city of Woodward gives Mathews 142; McGuire, 132, showing a gain of 12.

Piedmont—The vote here: Mathews 78, McGuire 56.

Wanette—This precinct gave Mathews 173, McGuire 70. Asher gave Mathews 124, McGuire 53. Dale gave Mathews 103, McGuire 105.

Mangum—Mathews received 436, McGuire 103. Same two years ago gave Cross a majority of 187, showing a big gain for Mathews.

Eldorado—Dryden gives Mathews 98; McGuire, 26. Francis gives Mathews 128; McGuire, 5. Looney, Mathews 128; McGuire 18. Hollis Mathews 72; McGuire 15.

Enid—McGuire's plurality in this, Garfield county, with one precinct to hear from, is 766, an increase of 56 over his plurality two years ago. The republicans elect J. H. Decker to the council and Jno. Ingmire to the lower house, besides the balance of the ticket.